

## TOWN COUNCIL.

FLAGSTAFF, ARIZ. July 8, 1897.

Pursuant to adjournment and in accordance with a notice served on each member personally, the Council met on the above date. Present: J. W. Francis, Mayor; C. A. Keller, J. A. Vail and J. C. Grim, members; E. S. Clark, City Attorney, and the Clerk.

Contract for the construction of the waterworks system as drafted by the City Attorney was submitted and read. On motion of Mr. Keller, duly seconded by Mr. Vail, the contract with J. A. Jones was ordered approved and the Mayor was authorized and instructed to sign and execute the contract on behalf of the town. Motion unanimously carried.

Board then adjourned.

July 12, 1897.

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Common Council of the town of Flagstaff, held on the above date, there were present J. W. Francis, Mayor; D. Babbitt, C. A. Keller and J. A. Vail, members; E. S. Clark, City Attorney, and the Clerk. The following business was transacted:

Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

C. H. Fancher, on behalf of the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company, agreed to have contract for deed to Big Spring and right of way for waterworks submitted to the proper officials of his company.

The following ordinance was read and adopted:

ORDINANCE No. 27. An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 23. The Mayor and Common Council of the town of Flagstaff do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 1, of Ordinance No. 23, entitled "An Ordinance providing for an additional License Tax for the sale of intoxicating liquors in certain cases—supplemental to Ordinance No. 5," approved the 9th day of November, 1896, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows, to-wit:

"Sec. 1. That the subdivision entitled 'saloon keepers and others,' of Section 1, Ordinance No. 5, approved June 14, 1894, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

Provided, that the proprietor or manager of every saloon, club house, club room, or gambling room within the town of Flagstaff, wherein any intoxicating or malt liquors are sold, in which any female acts in the capacity of a bar-tender, waiter, actress, dancer, singer, solicitor of custom, or servant, or plays upon any musical instrument, or is employed in any capacity whatever, either with or without compensation, shall pay a monthly license tax of five hundred dollars for each and every female so employed, payable in advance. And license tax receipts issued under the provisions hereof shall designate by name, each female employed in the saloon for which said license shall have been paid, which receipts shall be valid and have effect for the period of one month from the date thereof, and the full price of five hundred dollars for each female so employed must be paid in every instance."

SEC. 2. All ordinances and parts of

ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after August 1, 1897.

Moved and carried that the matters pending pertaining to right-of-way for town ditch through the M. E. lot be laid over until report can be had from the surveyor.

Proposition of T. H. Ramsauer that streets north and west of his lots be condemned and deeded to him in lieu of his giving right-of-way for town ditch through his lots, was approved by the Council, with the understanding that Mr. Ramsauer should pay all the expenses of changing ditch on his lots, and that Mr. Ramsauer make the change before bad weather sets in.

On motion the following bills against the town were approved and warrants ordered drawn for same:

J. A. Lamport, street work	\$ 48 00
C. I. Brown, balance of account	90 00
E. A. Baker, deputy marshal	27 00
L. L. Burns, deputy marshal	5 00
T. A. Dean, deputy marshal	5 90
F. C. Hochderfer, deputy marshal	10 00
C. A. Bush, deputy marshal	6 00
Western Union Telegraph Co., telegrams	1 23
Postal Telegraph Co., telegrams	6 71
A. & P. K. R. Co., freight	3 25
Hall Lithographing Company, books	30 00
Arizona L. & T. Co., lumber	111 20
A. Kline, rest fire apparatus	15 00

On motion, duly carried, Council adjourned.

J. W. FRANCIS, Mayor.

C. A. BUSH, Clerk.

## LOWELL OBSERVATORY.

A Visit to the Dome on the Observatory Hill.

George H. Smalley, the mining writer of Phoenix, contributes the following to the columns of the Republican:

The small hills bordering Flagstaff on the west and resting tranquilly in the shadow of San Francisco mountain contain a prospector with indefatigable energy. He is the sole possessor of the place. If other prospectors have heard of him they have never cared to follow in his footsteps. His work and life is different from theirs. During the daytime he sleeps, and it is not until the rotation of the earth has carried Flagstaff into its deep shadow that he continues work upon his prospects. He never fails to find colors in his most desultory effort. The physical universe is his field, and this small speck on our continent is the pedestal which lifts him high enough above the timbers to allow an undisturbed vision. The stars hidden beyond the scope of the unaided eye are the prospects he works upon. The prospector I refer to is Dr. T. J. J. See of Lowell observatory.

I spent a pleasant hour at the observatory the other evening, and was shown the doctor's method of prospecting in the heavens. His strikes are more frequent than are those of

the fellows who have to work with the pick and hammer. Formations cut no figure with him. Saturn and its satellites were brought down out of the skies and revealed in a manner almost startling to the layman who has almost made himself believe that Jerome contained the only wonder. The great golden band about the planet is as distinct as the planet itself. The clear atmosphere of Arizona and the wonderful lens of the telescope bring out plainly the "cratering" circling about in the center of this band, which is one of the later day discoveries of the physical prospectors. The satellites stand about like interested spectators at a race course. It is easy to imagine the great band moving around the planet at a tremendous speed as if it were trying to generate a wave of prosperity among the folks on the planet within its folds. You never tire looking at it, and the longer you look the closer it appears to you. When you leave it and tramp down the hill to your bed there comes a feeling of smallness that is sure death to any importance you may have previously attached to your own being. The emotions of life upon this immediate sphere are drowned in the awful realization that our old earth is only a side issue to the phenomenal attractions the heavens contain.

The observatory is the personal property of Percival Lowell, the great astronomer who has given so much to science during his busy life. Mr. Lowell became convinced that clear air was imperative in astronomical researches and he came to Arizona with his telescope, where he has fully realized the good judgment of his former convictions. Here he was enabled to pursue his study of Mars with results which have placed him before the world as the most advanced worker and discoverer upon this interesting planet. Mr. Lowell was here a year ago pursuing the study of Mars and has since published a book in relation to the planet. He was able here to see the canals and make other detail observations which are very valuable to science. Mr. Lowell says that a width of space on Mars of thirty miles appears like a mere dot, which precludes the possibility of revealing the life on the planet.

The telescope of this observatory is fifth in power among the great telescopes of the world. Although it ranks smaller in size the others have never been able to see with greater success. The diameter of lens is twenty-four inches. The focal length of the telescope is thirty-one feet. It stands on a substantial pedestal of iron and is enclosed in a well built dome forty-two feet in diameter. The canvass portion of the dome is operated by hand with ease as the work in progress requires. The telescope when the doctor is at work is kept at a uniform movement with the stars by what is termed a driving clock which is controlled by electricity.

Dr. See's special work now is double stars in the southern hemisphere. Sir John Herschel made the first study of double stars sixty years ago and Dr. See is the first to resume this work. He has discovered 300 double stars during the past year, all of which have never before been known to astronomers. This record has never been equalled in the same period of time. With the aid of an assistant, Mr. W. A. Cogshall, who guides the telescope, the doctor is enabled to examine as many as 500 stars in a single night.

This observatory is farther south than any in the country, but from this point with its great elevation the work has to be done very near the horizon. To get better results the observatory was moved to the City of Mexico, but the results were not satisfactory. From here Mr. Lowell may take his observatory to Peru, but when the change will be made is not decided upon. The work at Flagstaff has been wholly satisfactory, but Mr. Lowell expects to be able to work to better advantage in the southern hemisphere from a point further south.

"Last summer one of our grandchildren was sick with a severe bowel trouble," says Mrs. E. G. Gregory, of Fredericktown, Mo. "Our doctor's remedy had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief." For sale by D. J. Brannen's drug store.

## SUMMONS.

In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, Territory of Arizona, County of Coconino.

Mrs. Barbara May Morgan  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Robert Morgan  
Defendant.

SUMMONS No. 23.

Action brought in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District in and for the County of Coconino, Territory of Arizona. The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to Robert Morgan.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, in and for the County of Coconino, in the Territory of Arizona, and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of this Court at Flagstaff, in said county, (a copy of which complaint accompanies this summons, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service,) after the service upon this summons. If served in this county; but if served out of the county and within the District, then within twenty days; where personal service of a copy of this summons and complaint is made out of the Territory, or service by publication is made as provided by law, within twenty days after the completion thereof; in all other cases thirty days.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment by default against you in accordance with prayer of her complaint and judgment for costs and disbursements in this behalf expended.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at Flagstaff, this 8th day of July A. D. 1897.

C. A. KELLER, Clerk.

T. W. JOHNSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

[Hd. Entry No. 817.]

LAND OFFICE AT PRESCOTT, ARIZ., JULY 6, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of Probate Court, at Flagstaff, Ariz., on Saturday, Aug. 14, 1897, viz: Frank Fay for the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Sec. 13, T. 23, N. R. 7, East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: E. E. Isbell, William J. Stephens, James E. Kathrens, Alfred Covelley, all of Flagstaff, Ariz.

FREDRICK A. TRITLE, Register.

Notice For Publication.

[Homestead Entry No. 605]

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,

PRESCOTT, ARIZ., JULY 1, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of Probate Court at Flagstaff, Ariz., on Thursday, August 12, 1897, viz: George E. Olmstead for the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Sec. 13, T. 23, N. R. 7, East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Charles Carlson, Claude L. Amaden, Joseph Morris and Ericson Denver, all of Bellemont, Ariz.

FREDRICK A. TRITLE, Register.

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Time Table No. 22 effective May 1st, 1897. Mountain time is standard used.

Days	Through Time Card	Days
Mon 7:00p	lv San Francisco ar 8:15p	Tu
Tues 10:30a	lv Mojave ar 3:45a	Tues
Tues 7:00a	lv San Diego ar 1:15p	Tues
Tues 9:45a	lv Los Angeles ar 4:50a	Tues
Tues 4:55p	lv Barstow ar 1:10a	Tues
Tues 11:00p	lv Needles ar 6:40p	Mon
Wed 2:15a	lv Kingman ar 8:07p	Mon
Wed 7:15a	lv Ash Fork ar 1:35p	Mon
Mon 10:55p	lv Chicago ar 8:25p	Wed
Mon 11:55p	lv St. Louis ar 8:15p	Wed
Tues 2:55p	lv Kansas City ar 7:00a	Wed
Tues 8:00p	lv Denver ar 5:00p	Tues
Wed 10:40p	lv Albuquerque ar 10:35p	Mon
Thur 6:55a	lv Holbrook ar 1:50p	Mon
Thur 8:15a	lv Winslow ar 12:05p	Mon
Thur 10:52a	lv Flagstaff ar 10:15a	Mon
Thur 1:00p	lv Ash Fork ar 7:40a	Mon

Southbound Passenger		STATIONS		Northbound Passenger	
No. 3	No. 1			No. 2	No. 4
7:45a	1:45p	lv	Ash Fork	ar	8:55a
8:45a	2:45p	lv	Rock Butte	ar	9:55a
9:50a	3:50p	lv	Del Rio	ar	4:55a
10:15a	3:50p	lv	Jerome Junction	ar	4:30a
4:45p	4:45p	lv	Prescott	ar	3:25a
12:30p	4:45p	lv	Prescott	ar	3:25a
5:30p		lv	Summit	ar	2:45a
6:30p		lv	Skull Valley	ar	1:45a
6:40p		lv	Kirkland	ar	1:25a
7:40p		lv	Hillside	ar	12:45a
8:40p		lv	Congress Junction	ar	11:15a
9:30p		lv	Wickenburg	ar	10:32a
10:00p		lv	Vulture	ar	10:00a
11:00p		lv	Peoria	ar	9:42a
11:15p		lv	Glendale	ar	8:15a
11:25p		lv	Alhambra	ar	8:05a
11:45p		ar	Phoenix	lv	7:50p

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GEO. M. SARGENT, General F. & P. Agent, Prescott, Arizona.  
F. M. MURPHY, Pres't Gen. Mgr., Prescott, Arizona.  
R. E. WELLS, Asst. Gen. Mgr., Prescott, Ariz.

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